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of BLM-Alaska's

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BLM's

Navigability Team at work

# Millennium Workforce



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*Oh the new millennium!  
What better way to bring in the new century  
than with a pictorial tribute to BLM's  
workforce?*

*We number more than 700 and a major-  
ity of us will retire before the end of the decade.*

*We often hear about the physical beauty  
of our state, the unique programs we administer,  
the huge acreage we manage and the challenges  
we face.*

*But in the end, it's about the employees.  
Without the employees, where would BLM  
be?*

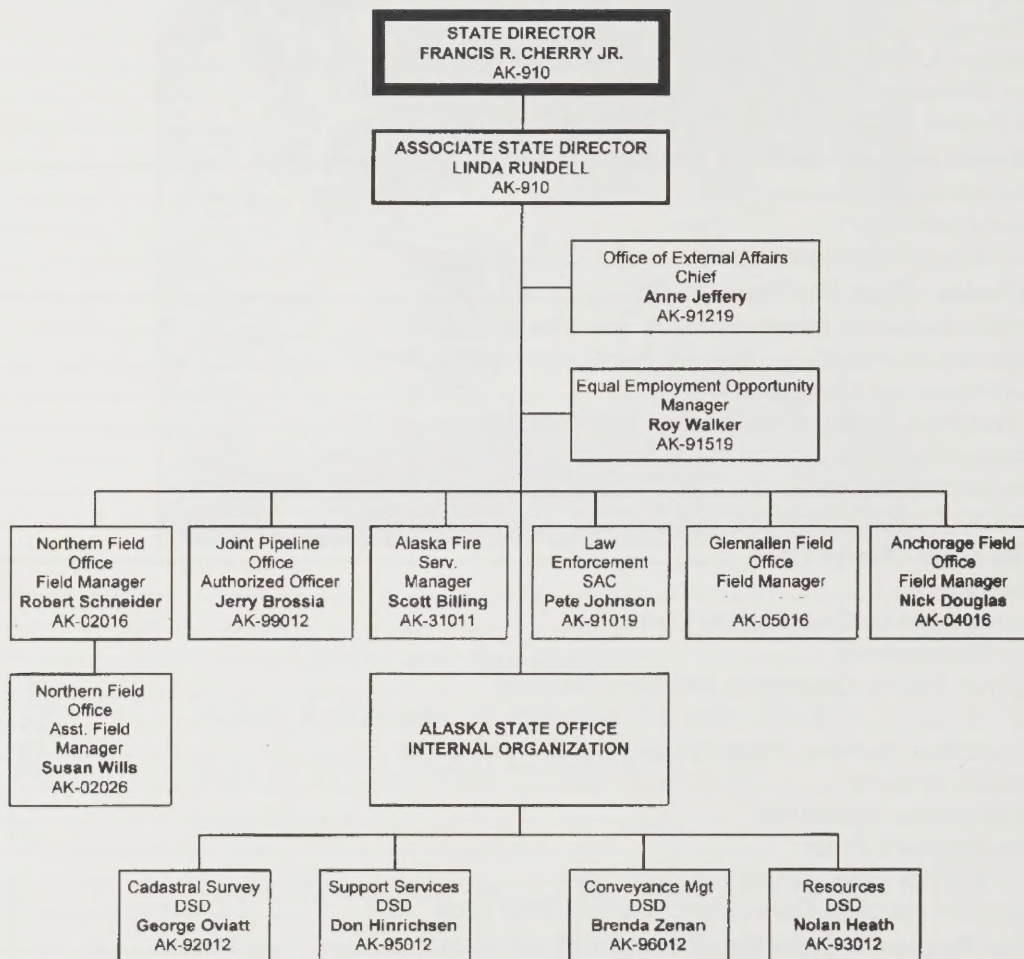
*So- here's looking at you!*

*-The Editor*



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# State Director/Associate State Director



*(l-r) Tonyua Abrom, state director's secretary  
Linda Rundell, associate state director  
Fran Cherry, state director*

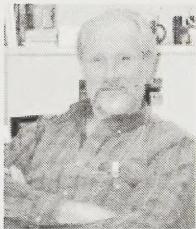
“Nothing  
compares to  
BLM Alaska!”

Fran Cherry  
state director



*Myrna Tihorovich,  
ASD secretary*





*Peter Johnson,  
special agent in charge*



**Native Liaison & Law Enforcement**

*Brenda Takes Horse, Native liaison  
Larry Crane, law enforcement staff asst.*

“I see my job as  
serving the  
tribes ...  
and serving the  
agency.”

Brenda Takes Horse  
Native liaison



**Equal Employment**

*(l-r) Catherine Dewar, equal employment spec.  
Roy Walker, equal employment manager  
Phillip Munn, equal employment officer  
Belinda Coonrod, staff assistant (front)*





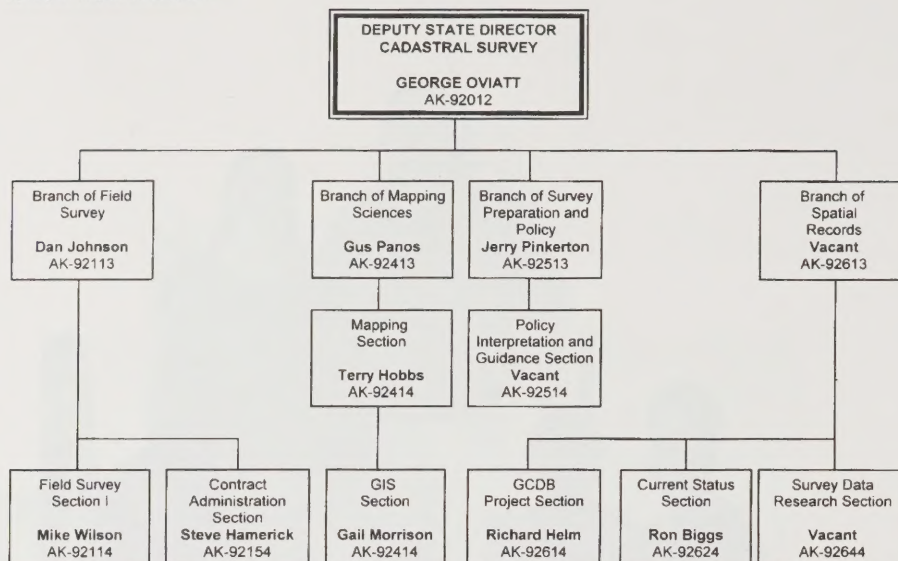
**External Affairs**

*(l-r) Danielle Allen, public affairs specialist  
Teresa McPherson, writer-editor  
Ed Bovy, public affairs specialist  
Janet Malone, writer-editor  
Anne Jeffery, chief (front)*

“People are born leaders.  
No amount of training  
can make you one. Either  
you’ve got it or you  
don’t.”

Danielle Allen  
public affairs specialist

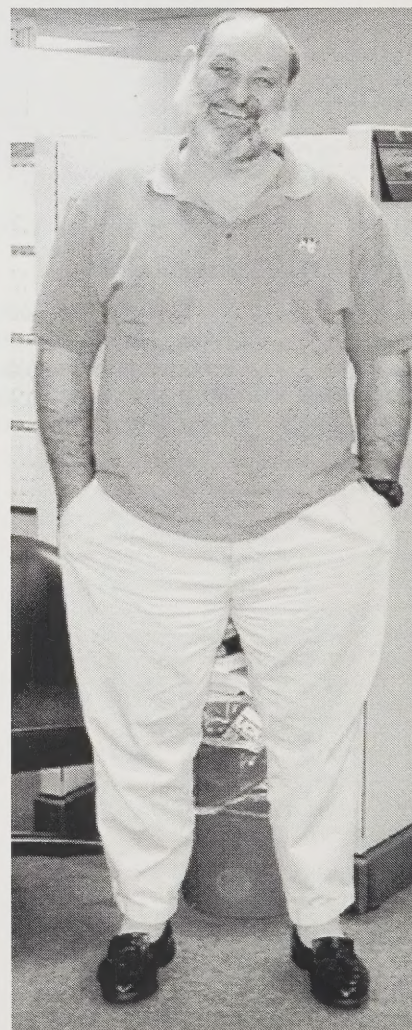




## Division of Cadastral Survey & Geomatics

This division operates the largest surveying program in the Bureau. The division of 120 employees—

- manages, plans and surveys public land boundaries.
- conducts surveys which enable the conveyance of public land and mineral entitlements to the State of Alaska, Native corporations, federal agencies and individuals as dictated by the Alaska Statehood Act, the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act and the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act.
- contracts field surveys with Native organizations under the Indian Self Determination Act (P.L. 93-638). Since 1992, BLM has awarded Native organizations survey contracts worth \$26 million.
- creates maps, photogrammetric and global informations system products.
- administers the statewide Geographic Coordinate Data Base (GCDB) project by collecting, encoding and maintaining the data base.



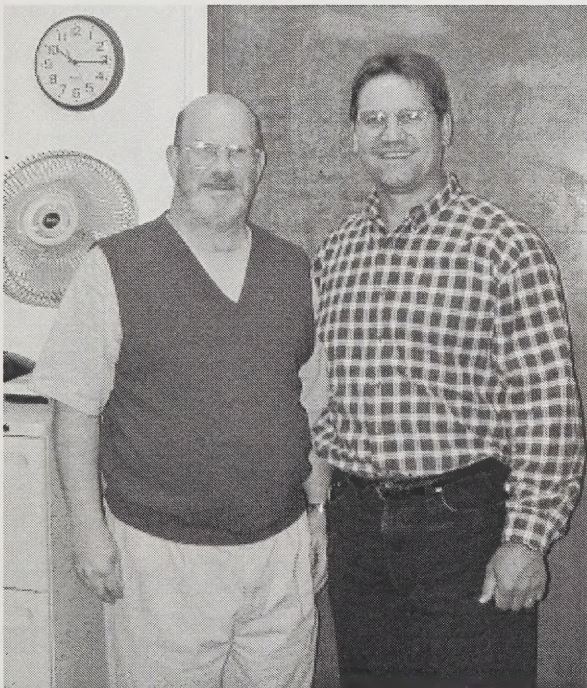
George Oviatt, Deputy State Director



"I'm proud of what  
Cadastral has  
accomplished this  
year . . . we've  
completed the most  
successful survey  
season ever."

Lance Lockard  
program analyst

**Deputy State Director's Staff**



(l-r) Lance Lockard, program analyst  
John Douts, geomatic data analyst



(l-r) Genie Cruz, student  
Cheryl Fusco, School Business Partnership  
Angela Nichols, office automation assist. (front)

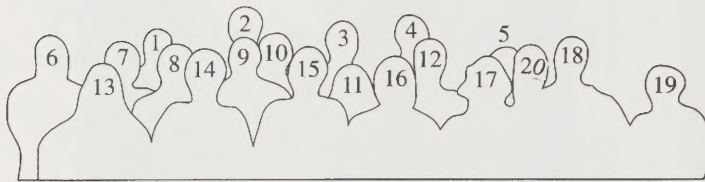
Not pictured—  
Craig Frichtl, land surveyor



Frank Hardt,  
land surveyor

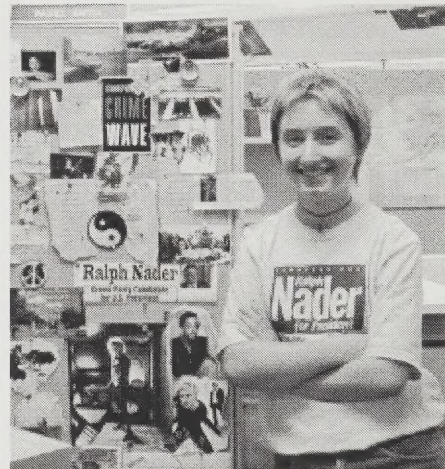


## ALASKA STATE OFFICE - CADASTRAL SURVEY



### Mapping Sciences

- 1 Terry Hobbs, supv. geographer
- 2 Jack Frost, navigable waters spec.
- 3 Ralph Basner, navigable waters specialist
- 4 Gus Panos, mapping branch chief
- 5 McKinzie Breaud, student
- 6 Bruce Ockrassa, cartographic technician
- 7 Julie Capps, geographer
- 8 David Bieganski, cartographic technician
- 9 Charles Luddington, photolithographer
- 10 Dwayne Richardson, photolithographer
- 11 Kim Mincer, photolithographer
- 12 Tony Reynolds, cartographic technician
- 13 Susan DiPrete, navigable waters specialist
- 14 Rhonda Reynolds, cartographer
- 15 Dot Tideman, navigable waters specialist
- 16 Bill Waldron, cartographic technician
- 17 Laura Lagstrom, navigable waters specialist
- 18 Scott Guyer, general biologist
- 19 Kathleen Jackson, file clerk
- 20 Bill Johnston, cartographic lead technician



*Rachel Garcia, student*



*Greg Balen,  
geologist*

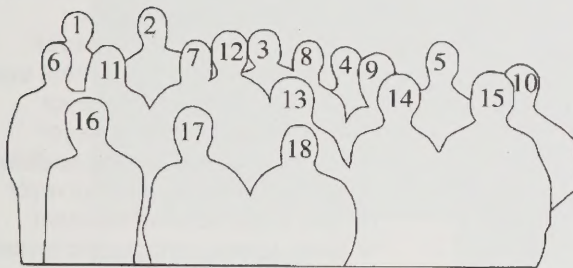


*Gail Morrison,  
GIS sec. chief*



*Dayle Sherba,  
biologist*





“Surveyors love their work, have great pride in what they do, work long hard days in extremely adverse conditions, and demonstrate professionalism and dedication through it all.”

Dan Johnson  
branch chief

#### Field Surveys

- 1 Mike Wilson, suprv. land surveyor
- 2 Bob Mandzi, land surveyor
- 3 Craig Dukart, land surveyor
- 4 Mike Harmening, land surveyor
- 5 Marshall Wade, land surveyor
- 6 Steve Hamrick, suprv. land surveyor
- 7 Doug Dickinson, elec. integrated sys. mech.
- 8 Eric Stoll, land surveyor
- 9 Doug Haywood, land surveyor
- 10 Pat Twohy, land surveyor
- 11 John Pex, land surveyor
- 12 Greg Duren, elec. integrated sys. mech.
- 13 Peter Nanok, land surveyor
- 14 Joe Burns, land surveyor
- 15 Therron Woerner, land surveyor
- 16 Dan Johnson, branch chief
- 17 Chris Wiita, land surveyor
- 18 Paul Moss, land surveyor

#### Not pictured—

- Roger Blouch, land surveyor
- Orrin Frederick, land surveyor
- Kurt Huhta, land surveyor
- Matt Kurchinski, land surveyor
- Gary McIntyre, land surveyor
- Mark Wahlfield, land surveyor
- Matthew Shilts, land surveyor
- Ashley Harris, land surveyor
- Adrien Rodriguez, land surveyor



## ALASKA STATE OFFICE - CADASTRAL SURVEY



(l-r) Willard M. Olson, land surveyor; Steven Schmitt, land surveyor; Beth Twohy, survey records assistant; Gary Marciniak, land surveyor, CT Vaughan, legal instruments examiner; Daniel Ontiveros, land surveyor. Front—Steve Robinson, land surveyor

### Preparation & Policy Interpretation

- 1 Steve Stokke, land surveyor
- 2 Rich Bidasolo, land surveyor
- 3 Brian Anderson, land surveyor
- 4 Jon Kehler, land surveyor
- 5 Ron Schwind, land surveyor
- 6 Steve Schmitt, land surveyor
- 7 Rick Maron, land surveyor
- 8 Dominica Van Koten, land surveyor
- 9 Mike Birtles, land surveyor
- 10 James Hawke, land surveyor
- 11 Anne Nagel, misc. document examiner
- 12 Michael Clark, land surveyor
- 13 Fred Maestas, land surveyor
- 14 Connie Ancheta, clerical assistant
- 15 Michael Eldridge, land surveyor
- 16 Julia Boyd, editorial assistant
- 17 Linda Birtles, cartographic technician
- 18 John Roberts, cartographer supervisor
- 19 Malcolm McCone, land surveyor

### Not pictured—

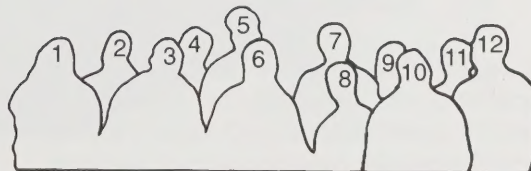
- Ralph Ahgupuk, cartographic technician  
 Brian Anderson, land surveyor  
 Mike Beale, land surveyor  
 Rich Bradley, land surveyor  
 Al Breitzman, ANCSA 14c specialist  
 Tim Flynn, cartographic technician  
 Jerry Lewis, land surveyor  
 Eileen Newman, student trainee  
 John Sroufe, supv. land surveyor  
 Danny West, land surveyor  
 Jerry Pinkerton, branch chief





**Current Status Section**

- 1 Melody Smyth, cartographic technician
- 2 Cynthia Berkhahn, cartographic tech.
- 3 Thomie Gardner, land status technician
- 4 Patricia Turner, land status assistant
- 5 Greg Smith, cartographic technician
- 6 Ron Biggs, supv. land law examiner
- 7 Heather Poff, student trainee
- 8 Carrie Hicks, lead carto. technician
- 9 Jill Cubbedge, cartographic technician
- 10 Rich McRae, cartographic technician
- 11 Craig Casner, cartographic technician
- 12 Mike Cincar, lead carto. technician

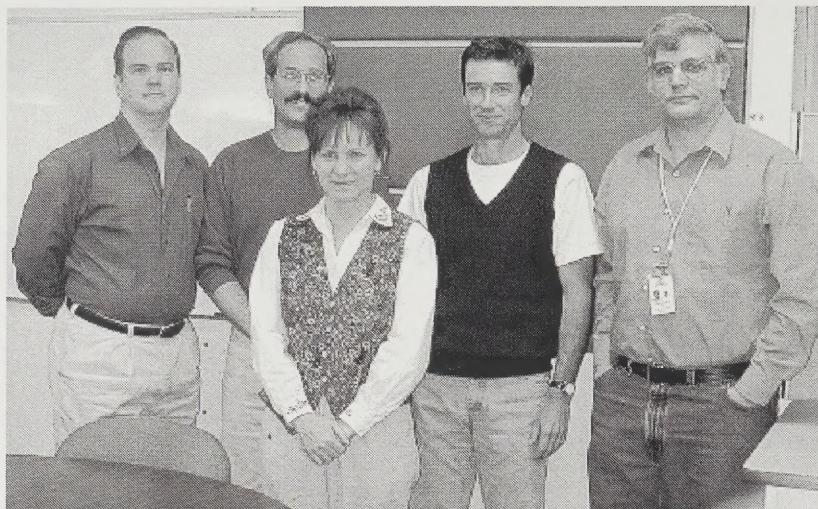


*Not pictured—*

*Robin Wellhouse, lead land status*

*Marie Makahilahila, land status assistant*





**GCDB Project Section**

(l-r) *Jim Snodgrass*, contractor-programmer analyst  
*Tim Varner*, spatial database administrator  
*Linda Ricketts*, state data administrator  
*Dennis Walworth*, programmer-data analyst  
*Gary Sherman*, ESRI contractor - programmer analyst



**Survey Data Research Section**

(l-r) *Aaron Richins*, cartographic technician,  
*Frank James*, cartographic technician  
*Louie Doores*, supv carto. technician,  
Front—*John Spacer*, cartographic technician

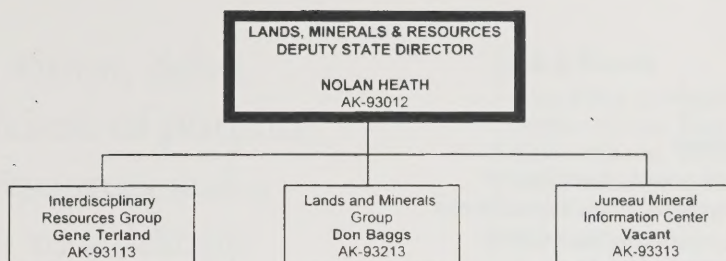
Not pictured—

*Valentin Baca*, cartographic tech.  
*Renee Elliott*, cartographic tech.  
*Barry Guim*, cartographic tech.  
*James Hollibaugh*, cartographic tech.

“You’ve got to play to learn,  
and you have to pay to play,  
and you can’t be afraid.”

Aaron Richins  
cartographic technician





## Division of Lands, Minerals & Resources



### Deputy State Director's Staff

(l-r) Russ Blome, special asst. 17(b)  
Tom Deiling, special asst. 17(b)  
Nolan Heath, deputy state director  
Lee Koss, hydrologist  
Mike Brown, navigable waters specialist

This division's 40 employees—

- provide expertise in program policy development, inter/intra-agency coordination, technical assistance and oversight of statewide initiatives.
- work in programs such as lands & realty, wildlife and fisheries, subsistence, recreation, cultural resources, paleontology, forestry, resource interpretation, minerals, mineral assessment studies, geographic information system applications, resource planning, environmental coordination (NEPA compliance) and hazardous materials.
- has a major cost share agreement with Ducks Unlimited Inc. which ensures the use of thematic mapper sensors to develop landcover for high priority waterfowl habitats on Alaska public lands.
- is involved with the management of subsistence on federal lands. January '99 regulations extended federal jurisdiction of subsistence fisheries manage-

ment of federally-reserved waters in or adjacent to conservation system units. The rules apply to the BLM's Steese Conservation Area, White Mountains National Recreation Area, National Petroleum-Alaska, and six wild and scenic rivers— Beaver Creek, Birch Creek, Delta River, Fortymile River, Gulkana River and Unalakleet River.

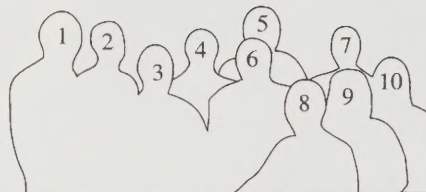
### Reorganized 11/20

Div. of Lands, Minerals and Resources  
Resources and Planning Branch  
Natural Resources Section  
Biologic Resources Section  
Planning Section  
Minerals Branch  
Solid Minerals Section  
Juneau Mineral Information Center



### Interdisciplinary Resources

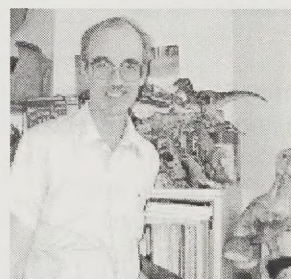
- 1 *Curt Wilson*, NEPA coordinator/planner
- 2 *Gene Terland*, resource group administrator
- 3 *Dwight Hovland*, soils scientist (retired)
- 4 *Dennis Tol*, fisheries biologist
- 5 *Gene Ervine*, resource interpretive spec.
- 6 *Wayne Svejnoha*, hazmat specialist
- 7 *Bill Overbaugh*, outdoor recreation planner
- 8 *Paula Krebs*, GIS coordinator
- 9 *Carol Belenski*, visual information spec.
- 10 *Kelly Mahoney*, staff assistant



Not pictured—*Bunny Sterin*, hydrologist



(l-r) *Andrew Hall*, AARIMS specialist  
*Lindsay Weight*, wildlife bio. student trainee  
*John Payne*, wildlife biologist



*Bob King*, archaeologist



*Paul Bartschi*,  
AARIMS specialist



“In the end, vision, drive, energy, singleness of purpose, wise use of resources and a commitment to a destiny worthy of your efforts becomes a character who excels.”

Mike Haskins,  
realty specialist



#### **Lands & Minerals**

- 1 John Clark, geologist
- 2 Shirley Macke, land law examiner\*
- 3 Earle Williams, mining engineer
- 4 Joseph Kurtak, geologist
- 5 Bob Fisk, mining/petroleum engineer
- 6 Mark Meyer, physical scientist/geologist
- 7 Evvie Garris, land law examiner
- 8 Robbie Havens, land law examiner
- 9 Susan Lavin, land law examiner
- 10 Vanessa Hice, land law examiner
- 11 Leslie Torrence, land law examiner
- 12 Jean Sondrud, staff assistant
- 13 Don Baggs, supv physical scientist
- 14 Jerry Kouzes, cartographic tech.

Not pictured—

Rob Brumbaugh, physical scientist  
Mike Haskins, realty specialist  
Robert Klieforth, geologist  
Bob Merrill, land law examiner  
Beverly Napageak, land law examiner  
Elizabeth Maclean, geology student trainee  
Shelly Boyer-Wood, land law exam. trainee

\*has left BLM.





## JUNEAU OFFICE - LANDS, MINERALS & RESOURCES

### **Juneau Mineral Information Center**

Back—(l-r) *Peter Bittenbender*, geologist

*Jim Coldwell*, mining engineer

*Ed Gensler*, environmental engineer

*Kevin Weir*, maintenance worker

*Kirby Bean*, geologist

Front— (l-r) *Autumn Lowrey*, environmental careers organization intern

*Jane Albrecht*, library technician

*Jan Still*, physical scientist

*Shirley Mercer*, cartographic technician

*Janelle Dunaway*, staff assistant\*

Not pictured—

*Ken Maas*, geologist

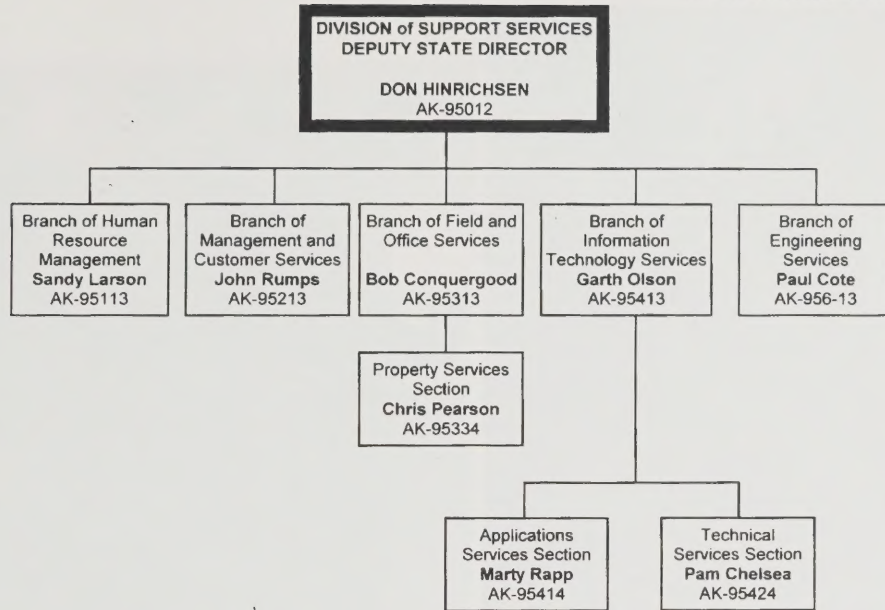
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“Choose a job you will  
love, and you will never  
have to work a day in  
your life.”

Confucius 551BC - 479 BC





## Division of Support Services

Without this division it would be almost impossible to keep the BLM operating. Think of it as BLM's administrative arm. This is where you go to—

- get advise from human resources management on your leave benefits
- sign out a government car
- get information about mining claims from the public information center
- check out casefiles
- duplicate publications
- get a copy of BLM-Alaska's operating budget
- call for help when your computer crashes
- acquire an official Washington Office memo long deleted from your files



### Deputy State Director's Staff

(l-r) Mike Rose, safety specialist  
Kay Lynn Schaeffer, office automation assistant  
Don Hinrichsen, deputy state director

Not pictured—  
Dan Healey, ARTNet project director



James Mroczek,  
safety assistant



## ALASKA STATE OFFICE -SUPPORT SERVICES



### Print Shop/Mail Room

(l-r) Steve Grimes, mail room lead  
Gregorio Chavez, bindery machine operator  
Glen Nelson, supv. bindery machine operator

Not pictured—Paul Russell, bindery mach. operator



### Library

Sharon Prien, library technician  
Catherine Vitale, librarian



### Docket

Back—(l-r) Mary Sheckells, docket clerk  
Gayle Erickson, docket clerk  
Rita Wood, docket clerk (retired)  
Front—(l-r) Lynn Lewis, docket assistant  
Diana Songer, supv. docket assistant



### Records

(l-r) Rodney Harvey, central files specialist  
Tiffany Martinez, file clerk  
John Montgomery, records specialist





“What doesn’t  
destroy me, makes  
me stronger.”

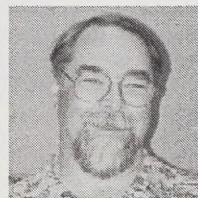
Tiffany Martinez  
file clerk

**Management & Customer Service**

(l-r) *Sandy Dunn*, team developer  
*John Rumps*, branch chief  
*Susan Erickson*, budget analyst  
Front—*Carol Moore*, budget analyst



*Sue Michael*,  
budget analyst



*Rick Greg*,  
accountant



**Public Information Center**

(l-r) *Pam Khiani*, contact representative  
*Janie Fisher*, land law examiner  
*Ramon Garcia-S*, contact representative  
*Carol Taylor*, lead contact representative  
*Peggy Richardson*, land law examiner  
*Sharon Dean*, contact representative



## ALASKA STATE OFFICE -SUPPORT SERVICES

### Human Resource Management

- 1 *Nancy Brainerd*, personnel assistant
- 2 *Tim Godfrey*, personnel management specialist
- 3 *Nancy Welch*, personnel management specialist
- 4 *Beth Hartt*, personnel actions clerk
- 5 *Hazel Pitts*, office support clerk
- 6 *Tammy Piner*, personnel actions clerk
- 7 *Bertha King*, personnel management specialist
- 8 *Vivian Powell*, secretary\*
- 9 *Joy Edge*, personnel assistant
- 10 *Sheila Williams*, personnel actions clerk\*
- 11 *Sandy Larson*, personnel officer
- 12 *Kathy Jarussi*, personnel action clerk–Northern Field Office
- 13 *Sandie Wallace*, personnel management spec.
- 14 *Beth Deane*, personnel action clerk



\*has left BLM





“Reflecting back  
on thirty-some  
odd years with  
BLM, some of  
them were really  
odd.”

Bob Conquergood  
branch chief

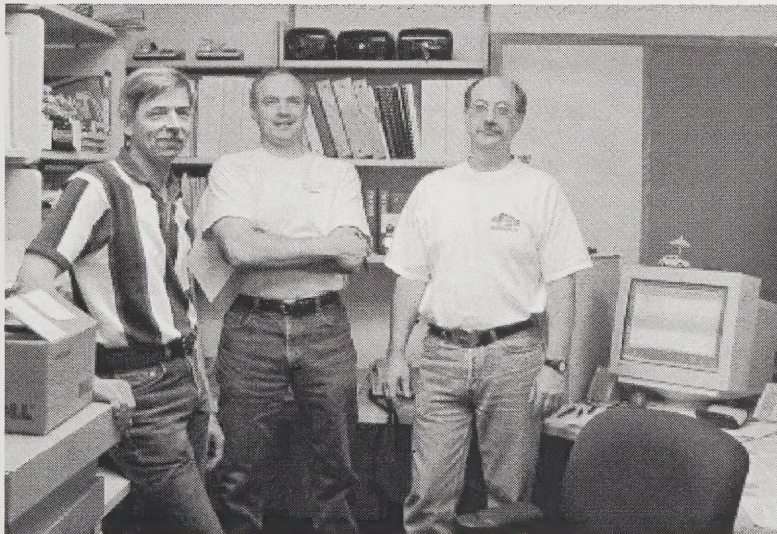


**Field and Office Services**

*Ken Higgins, safety & occuc. health spec.*

*Regina Scantlebury, office automation assistant*

*Robert Conquergood, branch chief*



**Information Technology**

*Craig Hice, computer specialist*

*Gary Jamieson, computer specialist*

*Don Lofton, computer specialist*

Not pictured—

*Terri Shuey, computer spec.*



## CAMPBELL TRACT- SUPPORT SERVICES

### Warehouse

(l-r) Nathan Rathbun, material handler  
Richard Johns, contract specialist  
Steve Sandy, motor vehicle operator  
Carl Thorpe, fuel distribution system worker  
Steve Woodward, laborer  
Standing on forklift—Bucky Blankenship, lead material handler

Not pictured—

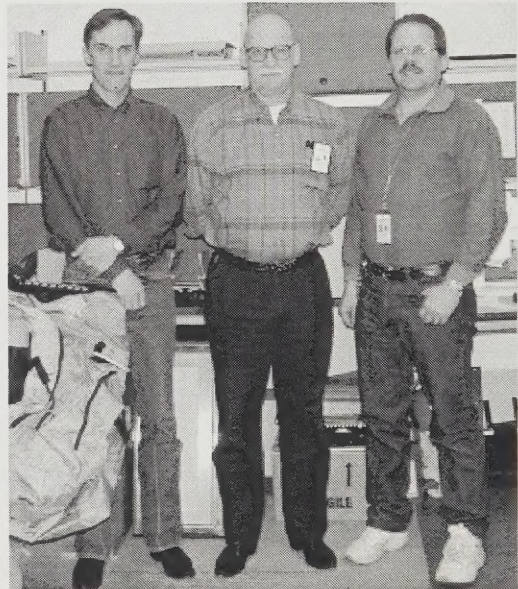
Ed Donnelly, materials handler  
Michael Nolen, materials handler



### Supply



(l-r) Ron Alston, supply mgmt. spec.  
Christopher Pearson, supv. gen. supply spec.  
Bill Hopster, inventory management specialist  
Front - Jerry Risch, motor vehicle operator



Keith Westfall, space management spec.  
Mel D'Anza, material handler (retired)  
Bill Schorr, material handler





### Engineering

(l-r) *John Miller*, civil engineer technician  
*Dean Brinkman*, civil engineer  
*Judy Beckhorn-Ross*, staff assistant  
*Paul Cote*, branch chief

Not pictured—

*Curtis Fortenberry*, civil engineer (Fairbanks)  
*Rodd Moretz*, general engineer (Fairbanks)



(l-r) *Darryl Coates*, small engine mechanic  
*Jim Woelfel*, carpenter  
*Bobby Johnson*, heavy mobile equip. mechanic  
*Ned Darling*, facilities maintenance supervisor  
*Rodne Gagnebin*, maintenance worker

Not pictured—

*Michael Carlton*, maintenance mechanic



### Procurement

(l-r) *Roxann Benbow*, procurement analyst  
*Yvonne Finley*, contract specialist\*  
*Terese Bertini*, contract specialist

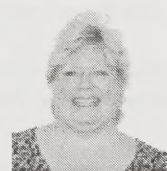
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“Much of our work is done for other agencies. BLM is a small piece of the pie.”

*Darryl Coates*  
 small engine mechanic



(l-r) *Susy Ryherd*, agreements specialist  
*Alissa Varrati*, procurement technician



*Sandee Smith*,  
 purchasing agent



## ALASKA STATE OFFICE -SUPPORT SERVICES



### Information Technology

- 1 Ed Cutler, computer specialist
- 2 Georgia Holton, computer specialist
- 3 Lynne Marciniak, computer specialist
- 4 Jerry Cartwright, computer specialist
- 5 Marcia Hunt, computer specialist
- 6 John M. Miller, electronic mechanic
- 7 Steve Grantland, electronic digital comp. mechanic
- 8 Allen Deitz, Jr., computer specialist\*
- 9 Dwight Sandlin, computer specialist
- 10 Marty Rapp, chief, applications services section
- 11 Linda McClelland, computer assistant
- 12 Ed Doyle, computer specialist
- 13 Ella Wright, writer-editor
- 14 David Edge, computer specialist
- 15 Max Graves, electronic digital comp. mechanic
- 16 Kelly Hanson, staff assistant\*\*
- 17 Garth Olson, branch chief
- 18 Mark Withey, computer assistant
- 19 Jim Braham, computer systems programmer, supv.
- 20 Joe Essert, computer specialist

\*transferred to lower 48

\*\*transferred to Tok office

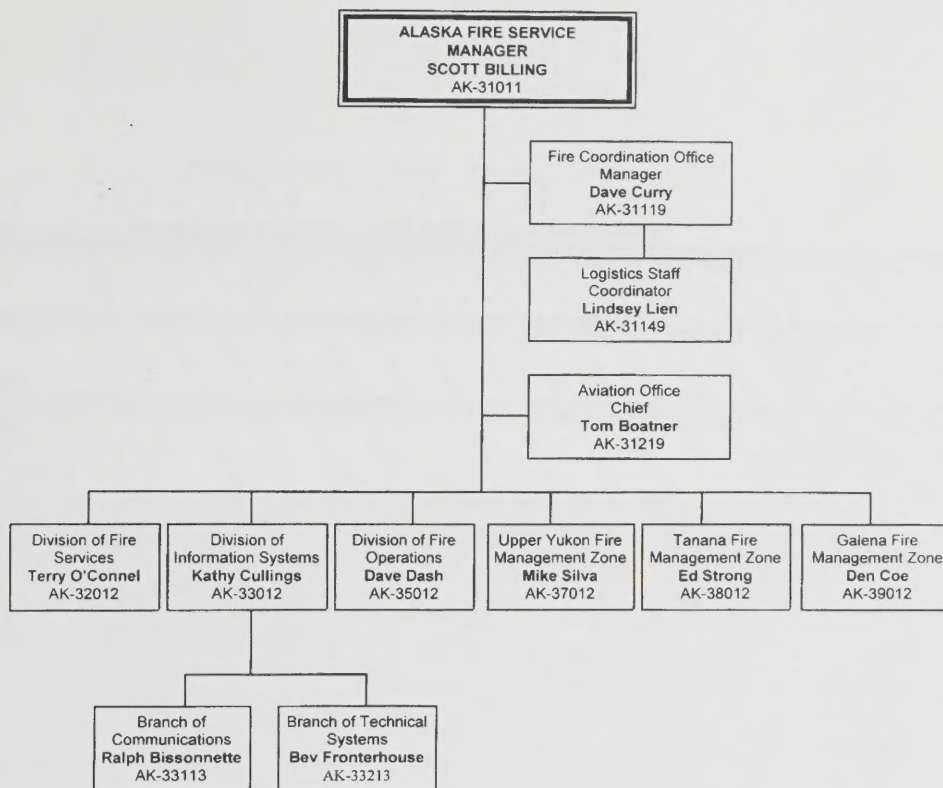
Not pictured—

Joan Steltenpohl, computer assistant  
 Sonda Juliussen, computer specialist  
 Bobby Hollis, electronic digital comp. mechanic  
 Steven Politsch, telecommun. mgr.  
 Jon Wilson, computer specialist



(l-r) Patty Pex, computer specialist  
 Ross Bordwell, computer systems programmer  
 Pamela Chesla, chief, technical services section  
 Tommy Thomas, telecommunications spec.





# Alaska Fire Service

The Alaska Fire Service, established in October 1981, is responsible for wildland fire suppression of all DOI and associated Native corporation lands in Alaska (approximately 265 million acres).

BLM has an agreement with the State of Alaska that consolidates protection areas. BLM handles fires in the northern half of the state and the state handles southcentral and most of southwest Alaska; the Forest Service takes care of southeast Alaska.

The AFS has—  
 68 smokejumpers  
 three interagency Type I hot shot crews  
 Type II crews  
 73 organized emergency fire fighting crews with 1,200 crew members  
 \$6 million is average cost spent on EFF crew wages



## Fire Service Manager's staff

(l-r) Scott Billing, AFS manager  
 Andy Williams, public affairs officer  
 Bev Lujan, staff assistant  
 Joe Ribar, staff officer  
 Tami DeFries, military fire officer  
 Vince Mazzier, fire safety officer  
 Hank Falcon, military fuels specialist





**Smokejumpers**—Back row, (l-r) Bert Mitman, Jay Wattenbarger, Mike McMillan, Bruce Ford, Marty Meierotto, Mat Lyons, Jim Dibert, Bill Cramer. Middle row, (l-r) Matt Allen, Gary Baumgartner, Chris Eisele (pilot), Stoney Bauer (co-pilot), Doug Mackey, Mitch Decoteau, Dave Hade, Tom Kubichek, Paul Lenmark, Jim Veitch, Rob Allen, Dave Bloemker, Bruce Nelson, Fred Hernandez, Rene Romero, Steve Theisen. Front row, (l-r) Mike Lambright, Togie Wiehl, Ty Humphrey, Scott Hocklander, Chip Houde, Tom Roach, Oded Shalom, Gary Canbee (pilot), Jim Raudenbush.



# MEMBERS







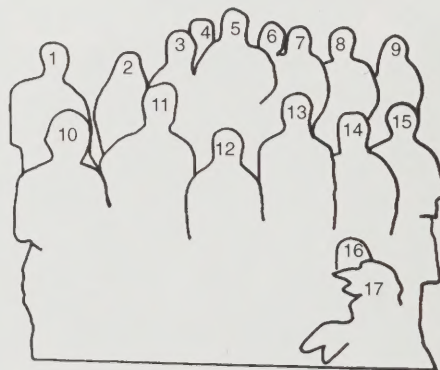
**Alaska Interagency Coordination Center**

- 1 Dave Kirk, lead aircraft dispatcher
- 2 Sheryl Stevens, lead equip. dispatcher
- 3 Betsy Sewell, intelligence dispatcher
- 4 Pat Houghton, intelligence dispatcher
- 5 Brian Conger, initial attack dispatcher
- 6 Charlyn Lacklen, initial attack dispatcher
- 7 Jon Gregg, initial attack dispatcher
- 8 Lauren Hickey, overhead/crews dispatcher

- 9 Anne Burns, lead overhead
- 10 Jennifer Probert, logistics dispatcher
- 11 Dave Curry, center mgr.
- 12 Mary Lynch, intelligence coordr.
- 13 Bob Dickerson, initial attack coordr.
- 14 Lindsey Lien, logistics coordr.
- 15 Jon Thomas, aircraft desk dispatcher
- 16 Alison Boyce, administrative assist.
- 17 Tasha

“The national fire season was the busiest in 50 years. . . The lack of serious injuries is a testament to the fire safety training employees receive.”

Dave Dash  
operations chief





**Aviation Management**

- 1 Bobby Carr, retardant base coordinator
- 2 Ron Lund, pilot
- 3 Gil Eggleston, state aviation mgr.
- 4 Mary Jane O'Daniel, staff asst.
- 5 Bob McAlpin, helicopter mgr.
- 6 Carl Elam, retardant foreman
- 7 Steven Monsma, retardant base coordinator
- 8 Chuck Gallagher, pilot
- 9 Ed Foster, pilot
- 10 Wally Griffin, chief pilot
- 11 Cliff Lundgren, pilot

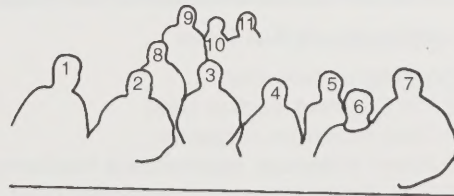
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*Jim Ward*, fixed wing mgr.  
*Jay Peterson*, ramp mgr.  
*Alison Coordes*, flight ops.  
*Mike Landau*, helibase mgr.  
*Randy Kamp*, aircraft handler  
*Mark Smith*, aircraft mechanic  
*Brett White*, retardant worker  
*Jack Firestone*, air attack boss  
*Ken Perry*, air attack AFS  
*Bruce Smith*, air attack DOF  
*Gary Doyle*, DOF pilot



“BLM-Alaska accounts for 60 percent of the BLM’s entire aviation program. During the summer, we contract 12 fixed-wing and 20 helicopters, logging in an average of 15,000 hours of flight time.”

Gil Eggleston  
aviation manager







#### Dining Hall

(l-r) Sonya Knight  
Linda Kirby  
Steve Roach, section chief  
Lydia DeCoterau, chief, food services  
E.J. Brown  
Mauna Loa Varnig  
Basil Sands



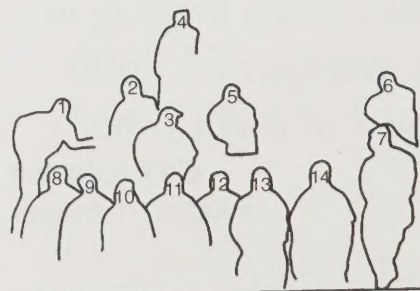
#### Facility Operations & Base Services

- 1 Bill Glanz, carpenter
- 2 Tim Shannon, section chief
- 3 Chris Workman, carpenter
- 4 Jimmy Malemute, maintenance mechanic
- 5 Russ Smith, transportation section chief
- 6 Rusty Morton, carpenter
- 7 Bill Baker, carpenter
- 8 Joe Greenwood, maint. mechanic
- 9 Donald Dureaceau, maint. mechanic
- 10 Rick Davis, barracks manager
- 11 Charles Singleton, maintenance mechanic
- 12 Pete Pineault, work leader
- 13 Janice Worcester, admin. asst.
- 14 Richard Stone, electrician

Not pictured—  
Ron Krishnek, base services branch chief

“We serve 30,000 meals and 5,400 box lunches during a normal fire season. This year, we also fed 1,300 emergency firefighters going to the Lower 48. So we made about 35,000 meals and 9,400 box lunches.”

Steve Roach  
section chief





### Supply

- 1 Leroy Gross, material handler
- 2 Jeff Gray, material handler
- 3 Ron Roberson, automotive mechanic
- 4 Rick O'Brien, material handler
- 5 Lyle Chittenden, warehouse section chief
- 6 Ben Robinson, lead material handler
- 7 Don Erickson, property/vehicles
- 8 Jack Yeaple, material handler
- 9 Don Robinson, lead material handler
- 10 George Rainey, aircraft freight loader
- 11 Campbell Bias, lead material handler
- 12 Dick Sleeman, material handler
- 13 James Rustad, lead material handler



- 14 Dan Sarber, material handler
- 15 Henry Ching, material handler
- 16 Bill Bishop, lead material handler
- 17 Craig Schumacher, lead material handler
- 18 Derry Burnett, Supply/Stores mgr.
- 19 Fred Sortman, lead material handler
- 20 Roland Ouelette, material handler
- 21 John Frizone, material handler
- 22 Bob Askelin, material handler
- 23 Neil Lyons, material handler
- 24 Ken Camp, material handler
- 25 Joanne Waller, property/vehicles
- 26 Steven Worden, branch chief

Not pictured—  
Gerry Wyse, auto mechanic  
Kevin Henry, small engine mechanic

“As one of 11 National Interagency Support Caches in the United States, the AFS Cache in Fairbanks transfers fire supplies and equipment to fire areas or incidents. The 30 AFS Cache employees are involved in all aspects of warehousing, including electronic databasing, supplies, rehabilitation and small engine maintenance.”

Steven Worden  
branch chief

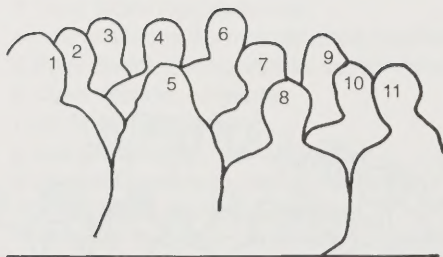
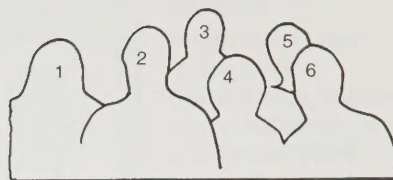




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### Training

- 1 *Fred Kutzgar*, training program leader
- 2 *Blair Young*, training administrator
- 3 *Dalis Thomas*, training program leader
- 4 *Eva Brown*, training operations mgr.
- 5 *Jim Kimbal*, training development offr.
- 6 *R.J. Hayes*, branch chief



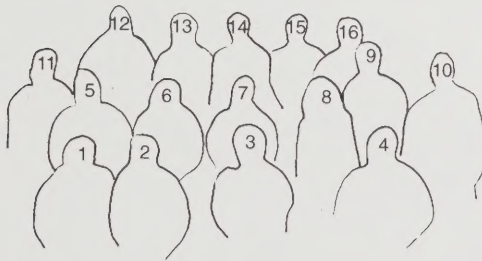
### Office Services, Financial Services & Purchasing

- 1 *Barb Sylte*, fire support assistant
- 2 *Shirley Goforth*, lead, office svcs.
- 3 *Pat Thorp*, office auto. clerk
- 4 *Terry Rush*, admin. asst.
- 5 *Patty Olson*, purchasing agent
- 6 *Tom McGuire*, haz. mat. coordinator
- 7 *Margo Hornback*, lead, financial svcs.
- 8 *Fran Strausbaugh*, travel clerk/acct. tech.
- 9 *Peggy Lucas*, contract specialist
- 10 *Kristin Liston*, office automation clerk
- 11 *Pat Soronen*, fire support assistant

#### Not pictured—

- Veronica Belton*, br. chief, admin. svcs.  
*Fran Goen*, lead, procurement team  
*Lynn Standley Coe*, lead, aircraft pymts.





“This year, the Tanana Zone accounted for nearly 620,000 of the 750,000 acres burned in the state. A major effort was made to protect Native allotments and homesites on lakes and rivers in remote areas.”

Ed Strong  
fire management officer  
Tanana Zone

#### Information Systems

- 1 Carlos Rosas, electronic mechanic
- 2 John Palmer, computer spec.
- 3 Kathy Cullings, division chief
- 4 Bill Beach, computer spec.
- 5 Thor Weatherby, computer spec.
- 6 Ralph Bissonnette, comm. branch chief
- 7 Ken Kokjer, telecom planning
- 8 Lynette Nakazawa, GIS analyst
- 9 Bev Fronterhouse, br. chief, tech. systems
- 10 Keith Pollock, computer spec.
- 11 Jason Kasseris, intern
- 12 Greg Ely, electronic mechanic
- 13 Gary Schmunk, computer spec.
- 14 Derrick Fo, SCEP student
- 15 Roger Dvorak, computer spec.
- 16 Alex Clarke, computer spec.

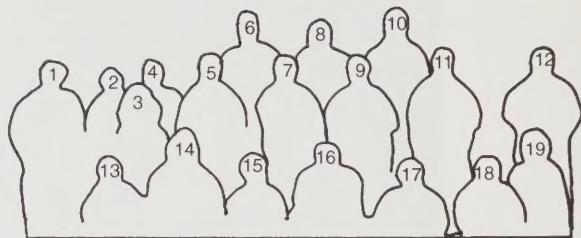
#### Not pictured—

Tim Hammond, GIS coordr.  
Vernon Williams, work leader  
Jim Shaff, elec. mech.  
Ernest Watson, elec. mech.  
Cindy Sherfick, elec. mech.  
Eugene Bartell, elec. helper  
Rick Briggs, computer spec.  
Brian Lamb, computer spec.



### Fire Suppression Specialists

- 1 Matt Cannon, forestry technician
- 2 Mike Theisen, Chena hotshot crew superinten.
- 3 Lynn Emerick, forestry technician
- 4 Elden Alexander, fire suppression specialist
- 5 Bryan Combs, fire suppression specialist
- 6 Chris Havener, fire suppression specialist
- 7 Brian Sterbene, FSS lead
- 8 Randy Leon, FSS lead
- 9 Tony Doty, FSS mgr.
- 10 James Higgins, fire suppression specialist
- 11 John Softich, fire suppression specialist
- 12 Glen Claypool, FSS lead
- 13 Shawna Legarza, military fire mgmt. officer
- 14 Marina Thompson, FSS lead
- 15 Melanie Frakes, FSS cache mgr.
- 16 Matt Heelan, fire suppression specialist
- 17 Brian Deck, fire suppression specialist
- 18 Calvin Moses, forestry technician
- 19 Lynette Halladay, fire suppression specialist



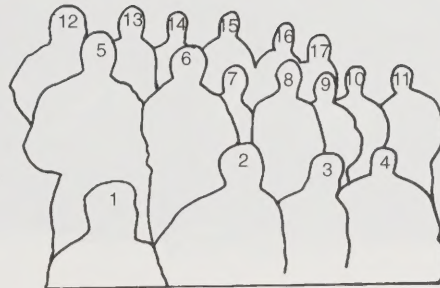
### Not pictured—

- Dave Dash, fire operations division chief  
 Carol Salo, fire support assist.  
 Jack Firestone, air attack boss  
 John McColgan, fuels mgmt. spec.  
 Rex McKnight, fire specialists br. chief,  
 Wes Stark, duty officer  
 Mike Landau, FSS aviation spec.  
 Randi Jandt, fire ecologist



### Fire Management Zones

- 1 Marty Scharf, initial attack dispatch
- 2 Chris Hays, FSS, Tanana Zone
- 3 Corey Doolin, zone coordinator
- 4 Roger Stilipek, maps & records
- 5 Jerry Waters, ASO, Tanana Zone
- 6 Ken Coe, Galena Zone FMO
- 7 Matt Cnudde, logistics, Galena Zone
- 8 Dave Whitmer, fuels mgmt. spec.
- 9 Mike Silva, Upper Yukon FMO
- 10 Dave Jandt, AFMO, Tanana Zone
- 11 Gerald Snoozy, dispatcher, TZ
- 12 Kato Howard, fuels mgmt. spec., TZ
- 13 Marlene Eno-Hendren, ZCO
- 14 Israel Silas, dispatcher, GZ
- 15 Ed Strong, Tanana Fire FMO
- 16 Kathy Oliver, dispatcher, GZ
- 17 Sharon Falcon, lead fire spt. assist.



#### Not pictured—

- Skip Thieson, AFMO, Upper Yukon Zone  
 John Burke, ASO, Upper Yukon Zone  
 Tim Theisen, fire mgmt spec, UYZ  
 Mike Butteri, FSS, Tanana Zone  
 Allen Biller, Asst. FMO, Galena  
 Tim Reed, air ops spec., Galena  
 Gordon Schafer, dispatcher, Galena





**Chena Hot Shot Crew**

- 1 Gorth Fisher
- 2 Tom Richards
- 3 Steve Manines
- 4 Matt Nease
- 5 Matt Sager
- 6 Hon Schlapfer
- 7 Todd Wyckoff
- 8 Dustin Widmer
- 9 Doug Curry
- 10 Branden Petersen
- 11 Jason Dollard
- 12 Tye Whitt
- 13 Shane McDonald
- 14 Edward Foster, Jr.
- 15 Troy McDonald
- 16 Drew Petersen
- 17 Pryan Holiday
- 18 Nathen Lake
- 19 Lenard Andrews



**Denali Hot Shot Crew**

- 1 William Curleychief
- 2 Nick Roberts
- 3 Daniel Rhoads
- 4 Robert Lacy
- 5 James Gallen
- 6 Phillip Oosahwe
- 7 Duane Fredson
- 8 Travis Rickets
- 9 Steve Boatman
- 10 Robert Stevens
- 11 Lawrence Moses
- 12 Clifford Edwin
- 13 Mike Shultz
- 14 Glen Demoski
- 15 Louie Silas
- 16 Dale Nollner





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### Midnight Sun Hot Shot Crew

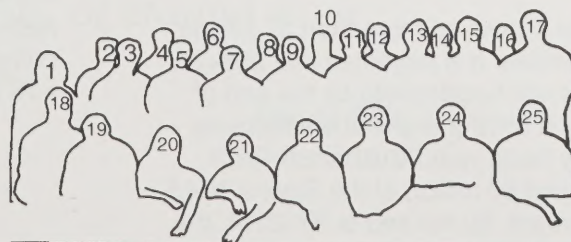
- 1 Neil Myers
- 2 Josh Voshall
- 3 Dave Matier
- 4 Brett Nansel
- 5 Ruben Contreras
- 6 Chris Swisher
- 7 Jason Howell
- 8 Randy Foland
- 9 Lisa Allen
- 10 Jonah Gladney
- 11 Josh Osteen
- 12 Ben Dobrovolny
- 13 Courtney Mitchell
- 14 Matt Ganz

Not pictured–  
Justin Ray  
Robert Whitaker  
Porfirio Charerria

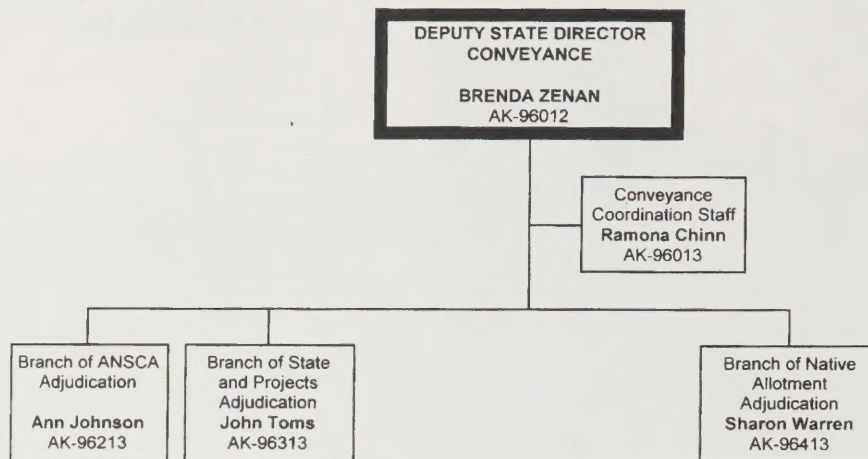


### North Star Hot Shot Crew

- 1 Shawna Legarza
- 2 Jake Livingston
- 3 Edward David
- 4 Forest Wagner
- 5 Chad Scussel
- 6 Adam Horton
- 7 Arlo Bante
- 8 Brian Stimits
- 9 Billy Rogge
- 10 Brandon Hobbs
- 11 Owen Momosor
- 12 Mike Glover
- 13 Russel Moses
- 14 Gary Wright
- 15 Corey Wilbur
- 16 Daniel Woods
- 17 Cory Stueve
- 18 Alex Olsen
- 19 Ethan Kalita
- 20 Stephanie Marks
- 21 Clinton Bergman
- 22 Stephan Parish
- 23 Michael Wright
- 24 Aaron Murdock
- 25 Ted Pierce







## Division of Conveyance Management

For 30 years BLM has overseen the largest transfer of public land conducted in the United States. Three statutes govern this process— the Native Allotment Act of 1906, the Alaska Statehood Act and the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (ANCSA). The conveyances division is in the final stages of completing the transfer of land to Alaska Natives, the State of Alaska and other federal agencies.

- Under the Native Allotment program, 4,200 parcels remain pending from the 16,000 parcels applied for by Alaska Natives. BLM estimates 5% of Native allotment parcels or 800 parcels will be pending in 2004.
- When ANCSA work is complete, BLM will have transferred 45.6 million acres of land to Native corporations.
- To date, BLM has conveyed more than 37 million acres to ANCSA entities. It is projected that 95% of village entitlements will be complete by the end of fiscal year 2007; and 95% of regional entitlements will be complete by fiscal year 2010.
- BLM has conveyed 90 million of the State's 104.5 million-acre entitlement. By the end of FY 2014, the State should have 95% of its entitlement.
- The introduction of the Native Veterans Allotment



*Brenda Zenan, deputy state director  
Gayle Ellis, division staff assistant*

- Act in 2000, which extends the eligibility period Native veterans can apply for allotments, further complicates the conveyance process.
- 76 employees



**Coordination Staff**

(l-r ) *Elizabeth Carew*, hearings examiner\*  
*Robin Middleton*, land law assistant  
*Denny Benson*, land law examiner\*\*  
*Helen Cameron*, office automation assistant  
*Linda Resseguie*, land law examiner  
*Bob Lloyd*, realty specialist

\* transferred to Native Allotment Adjudication

\*\*transferred to ANCSA Adjudication

Not pictured-

*Ramona Chinn*, supv. land law examiner

*Joe Labay*, land law examiner

*Connie Van Horn*, land law examiner

*Bonny Willer*, computer specialist



“Most problems stem from people having different priorities. Look at where the other person is coming from and work with it, or around it, it helps.”

Gayle Ellis  
staff assistant





*"Consilio manique"*  
is Latin for  
"By Wit and  
resourcefulness."

Christy Favorite  
land law examiner  
(her description of Conveyances)

#### ANCSA Adjudication

- 1 Barbara Walker, office automation assistant
- 2 Virginia Spacer, office automation assistant
- 3 Jerri Sansome, land law examiner
- 4 Ron Hunt, land law examiner
- 5 Mike Beale, surveyor
- 6 Debbie Thomas, clerk
- 7 Sherri Belenski, land law examiner
- 8 Nora Benson, land law examiner
- 9 Stephanie Clusiau, land law examiner
- 10 Christy Favorite, land law examiner
- 11 Barbara Opp, land law examiner
- 12 Kathy Flippen, land law examiner\*
- 13 Terrie Evarts, land law examiner\*\*
- 14 Jennifer Lind, office automation clerk
- 15 Ron Royer, land law examiner
- 16 Chris Sitbon, land law examiner
- 17 Jane Miller, land law examiner
- 18 Ann Johnson, branch chief

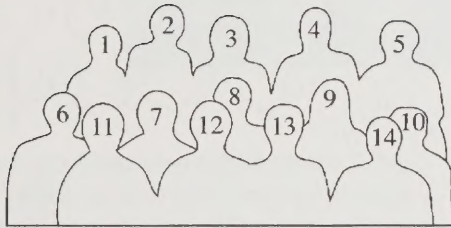
Not pictured—

Janice McDowell, land law examiner  
Glenn Elliott, land law examiner  
Barbara Cox, office automation assistant

\*transferred to Navigability staff

\*\*detailed to Survey Data Research Section

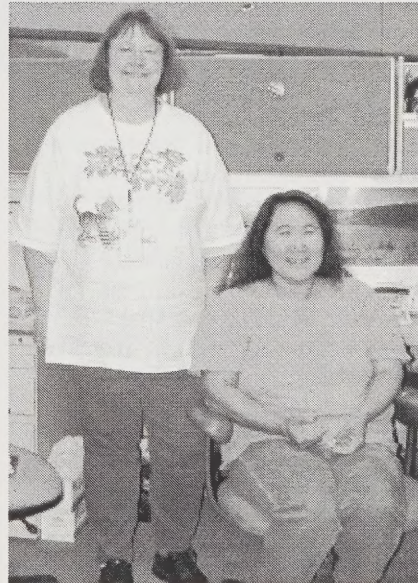




### State and Project Adjudication

- 1 John Toms, branch chief
- 2 Bruce Duffy, land law examiner
- 3 Pat Pearson, land law examiner
- 4 Steve Flippen, land law examiner
- 5 Lynda Ehrhart, land law examiner
- 6 Judy Kelley, land law assistant
- 7 Sharon Arlian, land law assistant
- 8 Becky Johnson, land law examiner
- 9 Allyson Johnson, land law examiner\*
- 10 Joan Biggs, land law examiner
- 11 Margaret McDaniel, land law examiner
- 12 Peggy Everingham, land law assistant
- 13 Alice Chavez, land law examiner
- 14 Clemencia Florez, land law assistant

\*transferred to Arizona



(l-r) Dorothy Hermansen, land law assist.  
Laura Andrewyuk, land law assistant



## ALASKA STATE OFFICE- CONVEYANCE MANAGEMENT



### Native Allotment Adjudication

- 1 Robin Rodriguez, land law examiner
- 2 Patricia Baker, land law examiner
- 3 Linda Suttles, land law examiner
- 4 Ken Butner, land law examiner
- 5 Elizabeth Sherwood, land law examiner
- 6 Rosaline Holland, land law examiner
- 7 Nancy Larsen, land law examiner\*
- 8 Eve Heavner, land law examiner (retired)
- 9 Ana Stafford, land law examiner
- 10 Betty Lockard, land law examiner
- 11 Jenice Prutz, land law examiner
- 12 Patricia Underwood, land law examiner\*\*
- 13 Lori FitzSimons, land law examiner
- 14 Susan Joyce, land law examiner
- 15 Sharon Warren, branch chief
- 16 Steve Cummings, land law examiner
- 17 Rory Spurlock, land law examiner\*\*
- 18 Danny Dildine, land law examiner\*\*\*
- 19 Patricia LaFramboise, land law examiner



Not pictured—

Marcia Cowen, land law examiner  
 Rena Baker, land law examiner  
 Donna Doney, land law examiner  
 Paula McHale, land law examiner  
 Robert Perry, land law examiner  
 Reta Hubbard, land law examiner

\*transferred to ANCSA Adjudication

\*\*on 17(b) easement team detail

\*\*\*transferred to Nevada



Marilyn Austin, land law examiner, Kay Gumpert, Ile



# Glennallen Field Office



The Glennallen Field Office manages about 7.3 million acres of public land in southcentral Alaska. Features include the southern section of the Trans-Alaska Pipeline System, the scenic Denali Highway and Bering Glacier—North America's largest glacier.

#### The GFO—

- manages four campgrounds—the Sourdough Creek, Paxson Lake, Tangle Lakes and Brushkana Creek
- is home to the Tangle Lakes Archaeological District. Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, it is approximately 226,000 acres and contains more than 400 archaeological sites.
- issues thousands of federal subsistence moose and caribou hunting permits each year within State Game Management Unit 13.
- manages the Delta National Wild and Scenic River and the Gulkana National Wild River.
- 14 employees

#### (Front—

(l-r) *Doug Dodge*, acting field manager  
*Cathie Jensen*, realty specialist  
*Ann Marie Baureis*, administrative assistant

#### (Middle—

(l-r) *Kathy Liska*, outdoor recreation planner  
*Brenda Becker*, realty assistant  
*Cindy Thompson*, purchasing agent

#### (Back—

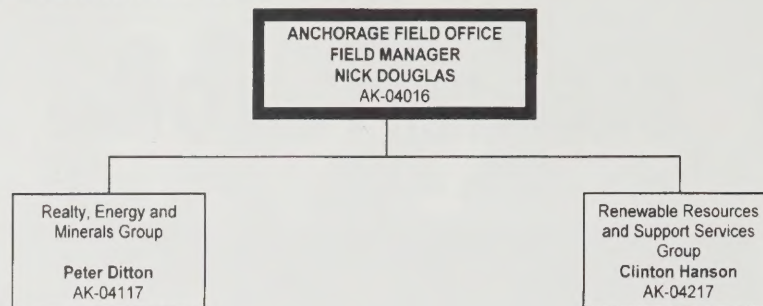
*Mike Sondergaard*, natural resources specialist  
*David Mushovic*, realty specialist  
*KJ Mushovic*, outdoor recreation planner  
*Marcia Butorac*, outdoor recreation planner

#### (Not pictured—

*Debbie Muenster*, archeologist  
*John Rego*, geologist  
*Elijah Waters*, wildlife biologist  
*Brenda Becker*, realty assistant  
*Kurtis Sorenson*, maintenance mechanic  
*Ramone Baccus McCoy*, field manager



## CAMPBELL TRACT FACILITY - ANCHORAGE FIELD OFFICE



# Anchorage Field Office

The Anchorage Field Office manages public land in southwest, southcentral, southeast and western Alaska.

The AFO—

- administers 16 million acres of public land
- has statewide responsibility for 225 million acres of all federal onshore subsurface leasable minerals
- manages the Iditarod National Historic Trail and Unalakleet National Wild River
- operates the Campbell Creek Science Center located at BLM's Campbell Tract
- conducts Outdoor Week, every May for sixth graders at the Campbell Tract, the largest environmental science program in Alaska
- 40+ employees



### Field Manager's Staff

(l-r) Judy Brupbacher, budget assistant  
David Dorris, planner & environmental spec.  
Nicholas Douglas, field manager  
Dave Stimson, law enforcement officer

Not pictured—  
Mary Hanson, NEPA coordinator



Melissa Ainsworth,  
staff assistant



### Support Services Team

(l-r) Van Waggoner, wildlife biologist  
Doug Gibson, cartographic technician\*  
Richard Stephenson, realty specialist  
Judy Brupbacher, budget assistant  
Linda Baird, office automation asst.\*

\*on detail

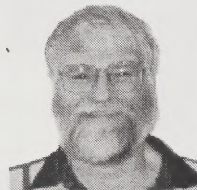
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Jeff Brune, environmental education coordinator  
Don Pino, volunteer coordinator



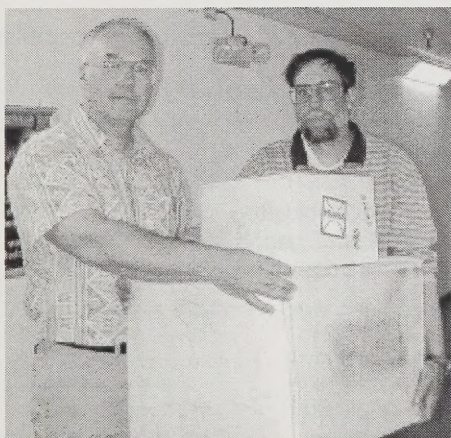


**Renewable Resources Group**

(l-r) *Clinton Hanson*, group manager  
*Jake Schlapfer*, outdoor recreation planner  
*Mike Zaidlicz*, forester/Iditarod Trail coordinator  
*Bruce Seppi*, wildlife biologist  
*Donna Redding* archaeologist  
*Deborah Blank*, state botanist  
*Nancy Stimson*, recreation specialist



*Jeff Denton*,  
subsistence coordtr.



(l-r) *David Kelly*, natural res. specialist  
*Mike Scott*, fisheries biologist

“Yes, I get paid to drive  
boats, raft  
rivers, and drive snow-  
mobiles across Alaska.  
When you’re serious  
about having fun, take  
my job.”

*Jake Schlapfer*  
outdoor recreation planner



## CAMPBELL TRACT FACILITY - ANCHORAGE FIELD OFFICE

### Energy & Minerals Group



(l-r) Chris Gibson, geologist\*  
Heather Reinhart, STEP/information receptionist  
Carl Persson, geologist  
Front—Peter Ditton, group manager

\*Chris died in a plane crash in September



(l-r) Mike Alcorn, surface protection specialist  
Bill Diel, geologist  
Harry Griffin, physical scientist  
Roman Gabriel, environmental protection technician

Not pictured—  
Greg Noble, geologist  
Richard Foland, geophysicist  
Boris Brown, petroleum engineer



**Realty Group**

Back (l-r) *Renee Fencil*, land law assistant  
*Kathy Stubbs*, realty specialist  
*Karen Collie*, realty specialist\*  
*Shirley Rackley*, realty specialist  
*Jim Moore*, realty specialist  
*Stewart Hirsh*, supv. realty specialist  
Front (l-r) *Martin Hansen*, realty specialist  
*Dorothy Bonds*, realty specialist  
*Lorri Denton*, realty specialist\*

\*transferred to Div. of Conveyances



*Rodney Huffman*,  
realty specialist



Not pictured—  
*Callie Webber*, realty specialist

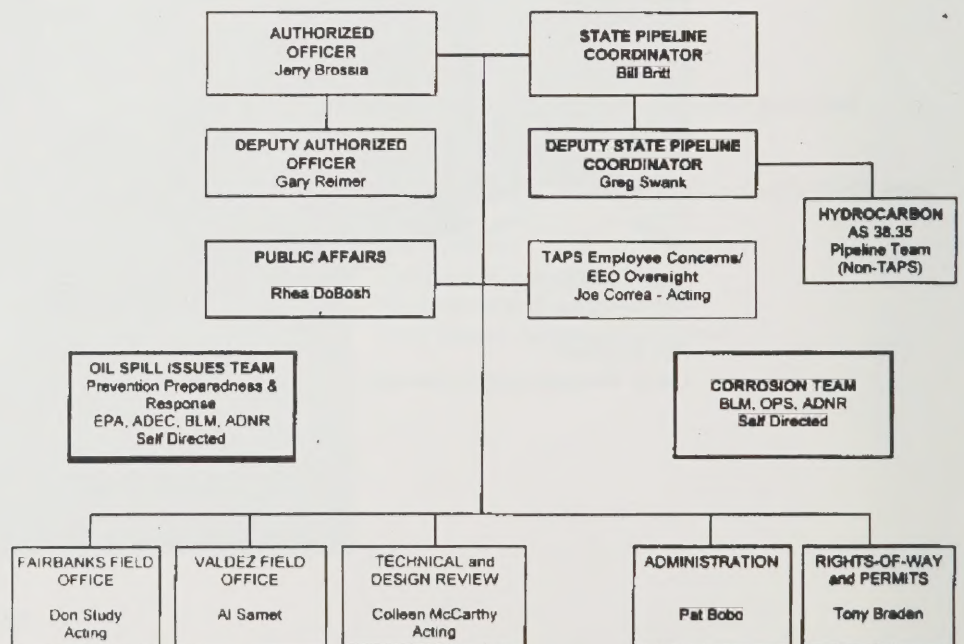
“Ask the experienced  
rather than the learned.”

Kathy Stubbs  
realty specialist





# Joint Pipeline Office





## ANCHORAGE - JOINT PIPELINE OFFICE

- 1 William (Spud) C. Williams, Section 28&29 specialist\*
- 2 Bill Reed, employee concerns assistant\*
- 3 Pat Bobo, administrative manager
- 4 Gary Reimer, deputy authorized officer\*
- 5 Jerry Brossia, authorized officer\*
- 6 Joe Dygas, engineering design & review specialist\*
- 7 Judy Samsal, executive secretary
- 8 Bob Krenzelok, general engineer\*
- 9 Jim Lusher, general engineer\*
- 10 Stan Bronczyk, realty specialist\*
- 11 Pat Jarrett, natural resource officer
- 12 Joe Correa, acting supervisor, Culture\*
- 13 Mike Kasterin, environmental coordinator\*
- 14 Don Keyes, engineer - special projects\*
- 15 Courtney Alston, office automation assistant\*
- 16 Robert McWhorter, employee concerns specialist\*
- 17 Jeff Hunter, system administrator
- 18 Julie Murrell, natural resources manager
- 19 Colleen McCarthy, acting chief tech. & design review\*
- 20 Mike Bennett, natural resource manager
- 21 Kay Laughlin, natural resources officer
- 22 Judy Hinkle, office automation assistant\*
- 23 Kay Kletka, program analyst\*
- 24 Wanda Tinker, mail and file clerk\*
- 25 Jim Ducker, NEPA coordinator\*
- 26 Bill Britt, State pipeline coordinator
- 27 Lois Simenson, technical writer/editor\*
- 28 Phil Brna, AK Dept. of Fish and Game Liaison
- 29 Anita Jette, receptionist\*
- 30 Doug Lalla, geophysicist\*
- 31 Dan Rice, technical engineer
- 32 Rhea DoBosh, public information officer
- 33 Greg Swank, deputy state pipeline coordinator
- 34 Don Verble, AK Dept of Labor electrical inspector
- 35 Lee Sires, operation & maintenance specialist\*

\*BLM employees

Not pictured—

Sigurd Colberg, pipeline integrity section manager  
 Ron Guisinger, Cortest contractor, IPPSPAR/ADEC  
 \*Bob Jones, equal opportunity specialist  
 \*Ron McCallister, operations & maintenance specialist  
 Regina Slater, regional solicitor  
 Jon Strawn, Dept. of Transport. pipeline safety officer  
 \*Don Study, operations and maintenance specialist  
 Bonnie Friedman, DEC environmental specialist  
 Carl Lautenberger, EPA liaison  
 \*Michael Wrabetz, environmental protection biologist  
 \*Ron Abernathy, operations & maintenance specialist  
 Ron Doyel, VMT operation & maintenance specialist  
 \*Paul Dunlevy, geologist  
 Ray Elleven, DOL safety liaison  
 Dan Lawn, environmental specialist  
 Dave Perez, DNR natural resource officer  
 Tony Braden, chief, right-of-way section  
 Katie Farley, DNR natural resource manager  
 \*Allan Samet, JPO Valdez supervisor  
 \*Linda Baird, office automation assistant  
 Mania Cookson, DNR administrative clerk  
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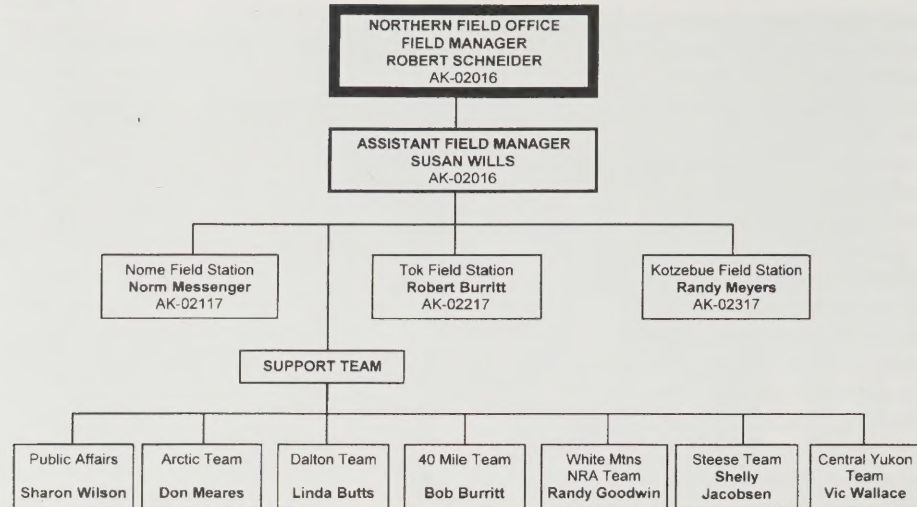
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The JPO—

- is an intergovernmental office that coordinates state and federal management of the Trans-Alaska Pipeline
- oversees pipeline operations by using a highly-structured auditing process known as the comprehensive monitoring program
- monitors NEPA, and does regulatory and compliance inspections
- reviews engineering designs
- issues authorizations and permits







**Field Manager's Staff**

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*Susan Wills*, associate field manager

“Our employees  
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creme.”

Susan Wills  
associate field manager

# Northern Field Office

The Northern Field Office manages 55 million acres of federal public land in interior and northern Alaska. The field office is headquartered in Fairbanks, and has staffs in field stations in Tok, Nome and Kotzebue.

The NFO—

- manages four national wild & scenic rivers—Beaver Creek, Birch Creek, Delta River and Fortymile River.
- administers a subsistence advisory panel for the National Petroleum Reserve—Alaska.
- manages the White Mountains National Recreation Area, Steese National Conservation Area and Pinnell Mountain National Recreation Trail.
- works cooperatively with the Eagle Historic Society in the preservation of the Ft. Egbert National Historic Site in Eagle
- does cultural/anthropological research at the Mesa Archaeological Site
- 110+ employees





**Public Affairs Team**

(l-r) Dan Gullickson, audiovisual specialist  
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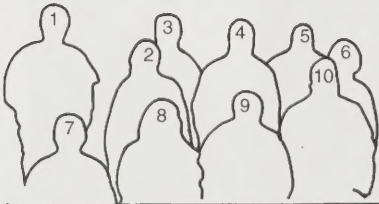
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- 7 Mike Worley, realty spec.
- 8 Dave Yokel, wildlife biologist
- 9 Chuck Joy, nat. res. spec.
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Not pictured—

Shane Walker, physical scientist  
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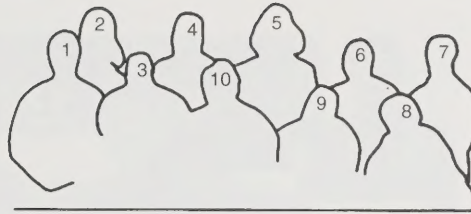
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- 2 *Cal Westcott*, outdoor recreation planner
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- 4 *Mike Kleven*, natural resource specialist
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- 7 Jim Herriges, wildlife biologist



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**Front page**— The Navigability team just wants to have fun. (l-r) Navigability waters specialists —**Laura Lagstrom, Jack Frost, Susan DiPrete, Ralph Basner and Dot Tideman** determine ownership of submerged lands.

**Back page**—1 **Craig Casner** with Cadastral Survey staffs a minerals booth.

2 **Dayle Sherba** of Cadastral Survey teaches students the mysteries of the Global Information System.

3 **Bruce Seppi**, AFO wildlife biologist handles a Wilson's warbler on the Anvik River.

4 **John Roberts** and **Aaron Richins** of Cadastral Survey travel aboard a military blackhawk helicopter to Kenai.

5 **Gary Reimer** of the JPO takes a stroll along the Alaska Pipeline.

6 The 1995 commemoration of the Seward Meridian initial point in Seward drew a large contingent of Cadastral employees participating in the event in Seward. (l-r) **Scott McClanes, Dick Troeger** (partially hidden), **Tim Quincy, Jerry Lewis**, unidentified girl, **Mike Olson, Mike**

**Eldridge, George Strother, George Oviatt.**

7 Taking a respite before going into an all employees meeting are the ladies from Conveyances (l-r)

**Barbara Opp, Paula McHale, Linda Suttles and Jane Miller.**

8 **Mike Bilbe** of the NFO makes a new friend at the Sportsman Show in Anchorage.

9 During one of the last field meetings of the Iditarod National Historic Trail Council, (l-r) AFO manager Nick **Douglas, Joe Redington** (Father of the Iditarod and council member) and former realty specialist **Bob Rinehart** share some private moments.

10 (l-r) **Dan Gullickson**, NFO audiovisual specialist gets instructions from **Jeff Kowalczyk** of the Tok Office at National Public Lands Day in Eagle this year.

11 A cabin in the woods.



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